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MANIAC USES DEADLY GUN

While Open Air Concert Is In Progress Crazy Man Fires Into Crowd

BAND LEADER FALLS FIRST

Four Killed and Many Wounded—Officer Ends Carnage By Shooting Demon

Winfield, Kan., Aug. 13.—At 9 o'clock tonight while Cemen's band was playing its weekly concert on Main street to a crowd of 5,000 people, Gilbert Twigg, a crazy man, opened fire on the crowd with a double-barreled shotgun loaded with heavy bullets. As a result four are now dead, three are dying and no less than 20 injured, perhaps five or six fatally.

The band had just finished a selection when Twigg stepped out from an alley half a block distant and deliberately taking aim first two shots at the bandstand. The band leader fell at the first shot. The crowd not realizing what had happened, rushed toward the maniac, believing it accidental shooting. As the crowd closed in the crazy man discharged two more shots at them, causing the crowd to scatter in every direction. Men and women howled and shrieked and ran, but no one seemed able to stop the frightful carnage until Officer George Nichols confronted him and fired a bullet into his head. Before life was extinct, however, the demented man drew a revolver and fired a shot into his own body. The dead and wounded by this time were scattered all over the street, and frightened people, not knowing where the shooting was coming from, sought safety in every quarter. It was fully half an hour before they realized what had happened and recovered sufficiently to take care of the injured.

PRISON OFFICERS RETIRE

MCPHERSON AND M'CORMICK, WARDEN AND GUARD, QUIT PENITENTIARY.

Salem, Ore., Aug. 13.—Two officers quit the Oregon penitentiary tonight. Edward A. McPherson, warden, and Jay McCormick, chapel guard, are the officers leaving the institution to-day.

Jay McCormick is an old prison man, having served under Superintendents Gilbert and Lee. It fell to his lot once to kill a prisoner who had scaled the walls and refused to halt when ordered to do so. He was also one of the officers that mounted the wall and took a few parting shots at Tracy and Merrill as they were making their memorable escape.

McPherson was one of the first prison appointees under Governor Chamberlain. He was given a place as deputy warden before Superintendent Lee's term expired. It was he that climbed over the walls to show that he could elude the vigilance of two night guards. The two guards were discharged for not killing the intruder and McPherson was made warden.

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fellow dropped a portion of the money on the floor. The robber turned and ran out of the back door, where he joined his pals, and they made good their escape. There were about 40 people in the saloon and gambling room at the time.

ARRAIGN KNOX AND ROOSEVELT.
Washington, Aug. 13.—An anti-trust meeting, which packed the National theater to the doors, was held here tonight. Attorney General Knox and President Roosevelt were arraigned for the alleged failure to vigorously enforce the Sherman anti-trust law. Resolutions were adopted declaring that W. R. Hearst of New York is the man pre-eminently worthy the people's choice as president.

Extension is Not Favored

Prominent Cannerymen Say They Do Not Advocate Prolongation of Season.

Prominent cannerymen, who have been in the business long enough to know, assert that the quality of fish at the present time is better than they have experienced at any similar period in the past. Considering the lateness of the season, they say that the quality has been well maintained, and for proof of the quantity they point to yesterday's catch. All of the large canneries were well stocked, some of the finest fish caught this season being brought in. As an instance of the abundant supply, the Kinney cannery received about 18 tons from one of their seines.

A representative of the Astorian called on several of the cannerymen yesterday to obtain their views on the subject of prolonging the season, which under the law closes at 9 o'clock tomorrow morning. There is a well defined sentiment that the law be enforced to the letter, and the opinion was freely expressed that a Portland paper was unjust in intimating the existence of a movement to extend the season beyond the limits prescribed by law. George H. George, secretary of the Columbia River Packers' association, said: "We are not at all desirous of prolonging the season, and I don't believe there is a responsible canner on the river who advocates such a course. Neither are we urging the fishermen to cease operations. We are perfectly contented to run until the close of the season and suspend then. The fish that we are receiving at the present time are good, but the time will certainly come when they will be inferior, and that time will be after Saturday, so you can say that we will be glad to cease operations then."

It is stated on the best of authority that the season's catch will not be short, despite predictions to the contrary. While the fish were late in making their appearance in the river, when they did come it was in such large numbers that the canneries were more than able to make up for the delay. The season closes tomorrow morning at 9 o'clock.

WILL INVITE QUEEN FRANCES

CAPTAIN JOHN REID READY FOR LAUNCHING OF HIS LAUNCH "FOX" TOMORROW.

Captain John Reid was the busiest man in the city yesterday, and all because he has a launching on his hands tomorrow. The new gas screw "Fox," being built for him by R. M. Leathers, is now practically ready to take her maiden plunge. Captain Reid stated to a representative of the Astorian yesterday that it is his intention to invite Miss Frances Thomas, queen-elect of the regatta, to break the bottle of wine and pronounce the words that will christen the trim little craft. Miss Thomas is at present in Portland, but it is expected that she will return in time to be present at the launching. Captain Reid also stated that the boat is to be named "Fox," in honor of Hon. John Fox, president of the Astoria Iron works.

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TWO ROUNDS TELL STORY

Harry Forbes, Bantam Champion, Is Out-Championed in the Second

BITES DUST BEFORE F. NEIL

Fight Scheduled for Twenty Rounds Ends in Short Order in Favor of San Franciscan

San Francisco, Cal., Aug. 13.—Frankie Neil of San Francisco won the bantam-weight championship of the world tonight from Harry Forbes in the second round of a scheduled 20-round fight. Forbes was a 2 to 1 favorite.

The preliminaries to the main event were interesting. Danny Sullivan won on points from Fred Landers in a 10-round go, and Jack Cordell knocked out Jack Kane in the third.

FIGHT BY ROUNDS

First Round—Forbes leads with left and they went into a clinch without damage. Forbes tries twice with right for jaw, but Neil blocks. Neil keeps face covered and danced around Forbes. Forbes finally penetrates through guard twice to face. Forbes on the aggressive. Frankie covers up face, but Forbes sends right and left to body. Frankie puts left to body and left to head. Forbes hit rather low with right to body and Frankie drove straight right to body. Forbes came back with right to body. Frankie sends right and left hard to body.

Second Round—They went into a clinch and Forbes tries with two lefts and right for head, but missed. Frankie sent straight left to body and Forbes nearly stopped. Neil floored Forbes with a right to stomach. Forbes was down nine seconds. Neil floored him once more with right and left to the same place and in his anxiety Neil went through the ropes. Forbes again went to the floor. As Forbes was rising on his knees Neil went at Forbes like a tiger and sent him through the ropes. Forbes went up with hands protesting, as if to indicate a foul, but the second limit had expired and Neil was awarded the fight. The Chicago man was floored three times in this round. It now appears that Forbes was counted out on being floored the second time, but did not hear the referee's call and tried to continue fighting.

PLANS OF THE WOODMEN

GEORGE K. ROGERS TELLS WHAT THE W. O. W. WILL DO AT REGATTA

The Woodmen of the World executive committee held an enthusiastic meeting on the return of George K. Rogers from his trip among the camps up river. He told of the interest being shown there in the regatta. Portland Woodmen will attend the regatta in better numbers than was anticipated, many outside of the uniform rank having announced their intention to participate. Vancouver will have an immense array of 16 feet long in the parade. A beetle from Kalama, a wedge from Goble and a saw from Rainier of similar proportions will also be featured.

After Mr. Rogers' recital of outside matters the various committees made their reports. Briefly it can be stated that if permission can be secured the local Woodmen will erect a welcome arch, they will have a float in the parade, public fancy military drills by the various companies of the uniform rank on the Van Dusen grounds, an invitation of 60 candidates and a banquet.

BASEBALL SCORES

PACIFIC NATIONAL
At Seattle—Seattle, 10; Los Angeles, 2.
At Tacoma—Tacoma, 3; San Francisco, 6.
At Salt Lake—Salt Lake, 2; Butte, 4.
At Spokane—Spokane, 4; Helena, 9.
At Sacramento—Sacramento, 6; Los Angeles, 5.

PACIFIC COAST

At Seattle—Seattle, 7; Portland, 2.
At San Francisco—San Francisco, 2; Oakland, 3.
At New York—First game—New York, 6; St. Louis, 2. Second game—New York, 9; St. Louis, 7.
At Brooklyn—Brooklyn, 6; Pittsburgh, 14.
At Boston—Boston, 33; Chicago, 7.

AMERICAN

At Chicago—Chicago, 1; Philadelphia, 5.
At Detroit—First game—Detroit, 1; Boston, 3. Second game—Detroit, 10; Boston, 1.
At Cleveland—First game—Cleveland, 5; New York, 2. Second game—Cleveland, 8; New York, 2.

PROF. LYMAN WILL QUALIFY—Professor H. S. Lyman left for Portland last night, summoned there to attend a meeting of the bureau chiefs appointed by the state commission of the St. Louis fair. Prof. Lyman will also qualify at the meeting as chief of the bureau of education, to which he was recently appointed. Before leaving for Portland he stated that he had received assurances from the most prominent educators of the state, including State Superintendent Ackerman, that they would co-operate with him in the work of collecting the educational exhibit representative of the advancement of the state of Oregon in this special branch. He is most enthusiastic over the outlook and is encouraged by the reception accorded his appointment.

ACTRESS WANTS DIVORCE

"Leonora," as she used to be known at the Fredericksburg and Blazers in Portland, and Mrs. Newman as known in Cathlamet and Astoria, today filed divorce proceedings against her husband here. Leonora had been stopping at the Occident hotel since Monday, and when her husband called Wednesday night she declined to receive him into her apartments. Yesterday, while Newman was seeking the aid of officers to regain the affections of his wife, which he alleged had been transferred to another, the wife sought a lawyer and made out a complaint for divorce. Newman is manager of a theatrical agency in Portland. The papers were served on him last night by Sheriff Linville.

BAND AND ORCHESTRA—During the engagement of the Allen Stock company at Fisher's opera house next week the military band that travels with the company will parade the streets daily, which will be like a new feature of the regatta. The company opens its engagement on Sunday night, and will produce a new play every evening. Comedy and drama will be presented alternately.

BORROWED A BOAT—Sheriff Linville last night arrested a man named Hill on a warrant charging him with the theft of a boat and fishing net, property of the Sanborn-Cutting company. The man, it is alleged, rented the boat and net and forgot to return them. He was lodged in jail and will probably be arraigned before his honor, Judge Goodman, today.

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